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To: Recipient

From: John Littler

Subject: Remedial Action Section Bimonthly Site Status Report for
Months of May-June 1984

Attached is a report on the status of the hazardous waste sites currently being worked on by the Remedial Action Section. Each bimonthly report will be complete and replace the previous report.

For questions on the report, call Fred Gardner on SCAN 585-6687 or (206) 459-6687.

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SITE: <u>GREENACRES</u>	LEAD PERSONNEL	PHONE
COUNTY: Spokane	WDOE: Jerry Jewett	459-6294
CITY/COMMUNITY: Ponderosa	EPA: Neil Thompson	442-7177

BACKGROUND

The Greenacres Landfill is located in a former ravine and borrow pit on a hillside adjacent to the Spokane Valley Aquifer. The aquifer is a designated sole source of drinking water for 350,000 people in the region. The site covers approximately 90 acres and was closed in 1971. During the time the site was being used, there were essentially no restrictions on the materials dumped. A residential supply well near the bottom of the fill has shown increasing levels of contamination by chlorinated organic solvents. The land around the site is being considered for residential development with septic tank waste disposal.

PREVIOUS ACTION(S)

A single residential well has been monitored for three years.

The site was proposed for Superfund - eligibility on September 1, 1983 and a formal notice was published in the Federal Register on September 8, 1983. This notice started a 60-day public comment period.

Following an EPA review of the public comments, a decision will be made on Superfund eligibility. Because of the number of persons that could be affected by a contamination of the aquifer, eligibility is likely. EPA has proposed that additional sampling be done in the area.